

JOHNSONTOWN HISTORIC DISTRICT  
959 Railroad Avenue (house)  
Atlanta  
Fulton County  
Georgia

HABS NO. GA-38-H

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Southeast Region  
Atlanta, Georgia 30303

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| STATE<br>Georgia   | COUNTY<br>Fulton | TOWN OR VICINITY<br>Atlanta   |
| HISTORIC NAME OF STRUCTURE (INCLUDE SOURCE FOR NAME)<br>JOHNSONTOWN HISTORIC DISTRICT  |                  | HABS NO.<br>GA-38H            |
| SECONDARY OR COMMON NAMES OF STRUCTURE   |                  |                               |
| COMPLETE ADDRESS (DESCRIBE LOCATION FOR RURAL SITES)<br>959 Railroad Ave.  |                  |                               |
| DATE OF CONSTRUCTION (INCLUDE SOURCE)  |                  | ARCHITECT(S) (INCLUDE SOURCE) |
| SIGNIFICANCE (ARCHITECTURAL AND HISTORICAL, INCLUDE ORIGINAL USE OF STRUCTURE)<br>House is in scale and character with 20th century frame vernacular architecture of Johnsontown. The only hip roof house in the community which is situated with its ridge line parallel to the street See "A Community History of the Johnsontown Neighborhood" for further information. |                  |                               |
| STYLE (IF APPROPRIATE)<br>20th century frame vernacular  |                  |                               |
| MATERIAL OF CONSTRUCTION (INCLUDE STRUCTURAL SYSTEMS)<br>wood frame; granite random course and cinderblock foundation; hip roof has rolled asphalt; exterior siding is weatherboard  |                  |                               |
| SHAPE AND DIMENSIONS OF STRUCTURE (SKETCHED FLOOR PLANS ON SEPARATE PAGES ARE ACCEPTABLE)<br>does not apply  |                  |                               |
| EXTERIOR FEATURES OF NOTE<br>paired 6/6 windows; central brick chimney   |                  |                               |
| INTERIOR FEATURES OF NOTE (DESCRIBE FLOOR PLANS, IF NOT SKETCHED)<br>does not apply  |                  |                               |
| MAJOR ALTERATIONS AND ADDITIONS WITH DATES<br>does not apply   |                  |                               |
| PRESENT CONDITION AND USE<br>House is in poor condition; occupancy status is unknown   |                  |                               |
| OTHER INFORMATION AS APPROPRIATE   |                  |                               |
| SOURCES OF INFORMATION (INCLUDE LISTING ON NATIONAL REGISTER, STATE REGISTERS, ETC.)<br>visual inspection; "A Community History of the Johnsontown Neighborhood"   |                  |                               |
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